

BROOKLYN NEWS.

SHOT HIS LANDLORD. SUTHERLAND IN CONTEMPT.

Plaspello Fired Twice When Told He Would Be Put Out.

Fled, Pistol in Hand, but Was Pursued and Caught.

Both Bullets Took Effect and Sporello Will Die.

Delmonico Plaspello, an Italian, thirty-five years old, of 43 Skillman street, Brooklyn, met his landlord, Antonio Sporello, of the same address, in front of their home at 9 o'clock this morning, and after a short quarrel Plaspello drew a .44-caliber revolver and fired two shots into Sporello's breast.

The assailant then turned and fled, leaving his victim unconscious on the sidewalk. He ran along Skillman street to Park avenue, and turning into the latter street he started in pursuit of a crowd of people who were in pursuit of him.

Policeman Thomas Keegan, of the Clermont avenue station, had heard the shots, and seeing the man running with his smoking revolver in his hand, joined a crowd of people who were in pursuit of him.

The policeman dragged the Italian back to the house, where he was confronted by his victim.

Sporello regained consciousness a few minutes later, and identified Plaspello as the man who had shot him.

Plaspello was taken to the Clermont avenue station and locked up. An ambulance was summoned, and Sporello was removed to the Homoeopathic Hospital. Surgeon Townsend, who examined the wounds, says they will probably prove fatal.

The police, immediately after the shooting, arrested several persons who were believed to have witnessed the affair.

Plaspello was subjected to rigid examination by Police Capt. Hardy, but was not inclined to throw any light on the matter.

Capt. Hardy learned, however, that the quarrel originated because of Plaspello's continued refusal to pay rent of the house. Sporello approached him this morning and told him that he must either settle or remove his household goods from the premises.

This threat aroused Plaspello's anger, and the shooting followed.

Coroner Kelle was summoned to the hospital to take the dying man's statement.

JAMES LESLIE DISCHARGED.

He Accidentally Drove Over and Killed Little Willie Cox.

James Leslie, of 512 Clermont avenue, Brooklyn, who was arrested last night on a charge of driving over William Cox, four years old, of 238 South Portland avenue, inflicting injuries which terminated fatally less than an hour later, was discharged this morning by Justice Tigue in the Butler Street Police Court.

The boy was riding a tricycle in the roadway in front of his home when Leslie went along on his machine, and ran over him. The boy was killed instantly.

Leslie, it is said, the whiplash his horse against him to-day, and he was released.

RAID AT CONEY ISLAND.

Four Inmates of an Alleged Disorderly House Arrested.

The work of ridding Coney Island of its disreputable resorts is being carried on by Acting Capt. Clayton and the police of the new Twenty-fourth Precinct. Several have been raided within a week, and another alleged disorderly house was visited last night by Capt. Clayton and his men. It is located at Surf avenue and West Nineteenth street. Mrs. Ellen Bennett is alleged to be the proprietress.

Mrs. Bennett, aged forty-three; Lizzie Finley, aged twenty-six; Florence Alice, aged twenty-two; and Mary Jones, aged twenty-one, were all arrested and held as disorderly persons.

WAS THE TORCH APPLIED?

Brooklyn Police Investigating a Fire in an Objectionable Saloon.

The saloon of T. L. O'Connor, of 145 Meserole avenue, Brooklyn, was destroyed by fire at 3 o'clock this morning, doing damage estimated at \$2,000. The cause of the fire is unknown, but the police, who think there is some mystery about it, are making a quiet investigation.

O'Connor recently applied for a renewal of his license, but Capt. Rhodes reported to the Commissioners of Excise that the place was objectionable. O'Connor's predecessor, Winfield Boz, was killed in the saloon by the husband of a woman he had led astray.

ONLY TWINS.

Mrs. Raphael Didn't Give Birth to Four Children, as Reported.

A story appeared in a morning paper to-day to the effect that Mrs. Samuel Raphael, of 356 Christopher avenue, Brooklyn, gave birth to four children last Sunday.

According to the story three of the children were girls and the fourth was a boy. Two of the girls were reported to have died.

An investigation of the case this morning showed that Mrs. Raphael gave birth to two children on Monday night, and that the little ones and the mother are doing well.

Shot At by a Bartender.

Justice Gottling, in the Lee Avenue Court, Williamsburg, to-day held Henry Martin, a bartender, on a charge of assault, and Abram Tompkins, of the First street, who was arrested at the same time, on a similar charge. Tompkins yesterday entered the saloon of 356 Grand street, where Martin is employed, and there a beer glass at Mrs. Louise Schenck, the proprietor. He then ran out, but Martin followed, and fired at him with a revolver. The bullet struck a messenger boy.

Beat with a Red-Staff.

Henry Harris, of 513 Park avenue, was held in the Lee Avenue Court, Williamsburg, to-day on a charge of assaulting Bertha Cagrove with a red-staff. He denied the charge.

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BEAT A POLICEMAN ON POST.

Officer Davis Thrown Down and Kicked by Four Men.

Set Upon Without Provocation and Seriously Injured.

Patrolman Robert H. Davis, of the Schenectady avenue station, Brooklyn, while patrolling his post on Fulton street, near Schenectady avenue, at 1:30 o'clock this morning, was attacked and beaten by four men without provocation. It was raining at the time, and as the men, who had evidently got off the Elevated Railroad station, said: "Say, boys, let us do up the cop."

The suggestion met with unanimous approval, and before Davis realized what was happening he was rolling on his back in the mud, with the four men standing over him.

The officer was beaten and brutally kicked, but through it all he managed to get up and call for help. Patrolman Baxter, hearing the half-drawn cries for help, rushed to his assistance, and found Davis lying on the ground, with his head bleeding.

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COULDN'T KEEP SUGAR DOWN.

Advance Follows on the Heels of the Opening Raid.

Dealings Lacked Spirit and There Was Little Fluctuation.

Brokers and speculators found little to do when they reached the Stock Exchange this morning. There was a perfect dearth of news, and no inducement to branch out in any direction.

The pools in Chicago Gas and Sugar were the only ones that showed the least disposition to move their specialties, and the traders confined themselves almost entirely to the general market in these stocks. At the start a raid was made on Sugar, and the stock declined a point, to 99 7/8, but just as soon as the shorts attempted to cover, a rise to 101 1/4 ensued.

The rally was assisted by the strength shown by Chicago Gas, which advanced 1 1/4, to 74 3/4. The volume of business was exceedingly light, and the commission houses had only limited orders to execute for out-of-town accounts.

The fact that the sugar schedule is about to come up for debate in the Senate makes many operators hold off, as the general list is likely to be influenced very materially by the vote on that question.

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Rev. Father Kelly Elected President of the A. B. Union.

At the Total Abstinence Benevolent Union annual convention held yesterday and last night in St. Michael's Hall, Jersey City, Rev. Father Charles P. Kelly, pastor of the Church of Our Lady of Grace, Hoboken, was elected President.

Dean McNulty declined a renomination in favor of Rev. Father John Tighone, of Boonton, N. J.

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